The Bombay Gazette

No. 11,302 New Series. BOMBAY :—TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1885.

SHIPPING.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

STEAM TO ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, PLYMOUTH, LONDON, BRINDISI, VENICE, TRIESTE, AND MARSEILLES.

PROGRAMME OF DEPARTURES.

Vessel	Tons	H.P.	Captain.	FRIDAY 1885.
— Assam	3038	500	S. F. Cole	20th Feb.
L. Tasmania	4500	800	G. G. Perrins	27th "
M. Cathay	2983	500	T. Fairlough	6th Mar.
L. Hyndapee	2864	500	G. Scrivener	13th "
— Gwalior	2133	500	F. Harris	20th "
L. Nubian	2944	500	H. Weighell	27th "
M. Carthage	5012	1000	G. N. Rector	3rd April
L. Surat	3142	500	C. R. Edwards	10th "
— Nizam	2911	500	W. J. Webber	17th "
L. Chusan	45-0	800	H. Wyatt	24th "
M. Nepaul	3336	560	J. T. Alderton	1st May.

The steamers marked L proceed direct to London via Malta, and those marked M via Marseilles. By the others passengers for London change Vessels at Suez. All London steamers call at Plymouth.

A steam-barge will leave the Company's Dockyard, Mazagon, at 2 p.m., on the day of sailing to convey passengers on board.

STEAM TO COLOMBO, STRAITS, CHINA, JAPAN, AND AUSTRALIA.

Vessel.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	On 1885.
VERONA	3116	600	L. H. Moule	20th Feb.
MALWA	3262	600	A. W. Adamson	6th March.
ROSETTA	3002	700	G. W. Brady	20th "
VENETIA	3726	600	A. B. Daniell	3rd April.

Return Tickets are now issued at greatly reduced rates to all ports, for particulars of which apply to

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Company.

Bombay, Feb. 7 1885.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

BRINDISI ROUTE.

THROUGH TICKETS from BOMBAY to LONDON viâ Brindisi, including the Continental Railway Fare, are now issued on favorable terms; also return tickets available for three and six months. Tickets can also be obtained which allow passengers to travel 1st class by the steamer and 2nd class by rail from Brindisi to London.

MARSEILLES ROUTE.

STEAMERS leave BOMBAY for MARSEILLES and LONDON direct every four weeks (see general advertisement), and the voyage to the former port is accomplished in 19 days in fair weather (21 days during the Monsoon). The Railway journey from Marseilles to London occupies about 27 hours.

Fares to London, by the sea route or viâ Marseilles, including the Railway Fare across the Continent:—
First Class Rs. 680. Second Class Rs. 370.

Return Tickets are also issued, for particulars of which and all other information on the subject, apply to

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent, P. and O. S. N. Co.

Bombay, Feb. 7, 1885.

NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA

SOCIETA RIUNITE FLORIO RUBATTINO.

THE Regular Mail-steamers leave BOMBAY on the 1st of each month at noon, calling at ADEN, PORT SUEZ, PORT SAID, ALEXANDRIA, NAPLES, GENOA, and MARSEILLES, starting from GENOA on the 25th of every month for BOMBAY.

FARES to all Ports of Italy and Marseilles, Rs. 360, Rs. 340, Rs. 150, for First, Second, and Third Class respectively, inclusive of Wine. Infants are allowed free. Children over three and under ten years, half fare. Families will be allowed liberal discount.

Passengers' heavy Baggage will be delivered in LONDON, FREE OF CHARGE, to the extent allowed in the handbooks.

A discount of 35, 20, and 10 per cent. is allowed to Passengers returning within three, six, and twelve months respectively from the date of LANDING.

The following or other First Class Steamers will leave Bombay :—

	Tons. H.P.	
CHINA	5,00 85	1st Mar. 1885.
GIVA*	3,000 450	1st April "
RUFFAELE RUBATTINO	5,000 850	1st May "

Steam Launch leaves Apollo Bunder between 10 and 11 a.m. on the day of Sailing, with Passengers and heavy Baggage.

Through Railway Tickets available for 17 days, to London viâ Calais or Brighton, both from Genoa and Naples are issued here.

For Handbooks of information and other particulars apply to

F. BOZZONI, Agent.

Sassoon House, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, Jan. 1, 1885.

* No Second Class accommodation.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S S. N. Co.

REGULAR LINE OF STEAMERS BETWEEN BOMBAY, BRINDISI, AND TRIESTE, VIA CANAL.

Steamers.	Captains	Tons.	H. P.	To sail 1885
BERENICE	G. B. Verona	3,369	555	1st March.
ELEKTRA	G. Cattich	4,100	900	2nd April
MEDUSA	G. Ragusin	3,500	550	2nd May

A Surgeon and Stewardess on board of every Steamer.

RATES OF PASSAGE MONEY.

	1st Class.	2nd Class.	Deck.
TRIESTE OR BRINDISI	Rs. 500	Rs. 300	Rs. 120

RETURN TICKETS are now issued available for SIX MONTHS at the following rates :—

	1st Class.	2nd Class.
TRIESTE OR BRINDISI	Rs. 800	Rs. 480

Above rates include Wines supplied at meals.

Steamers for BOMBAY leave TRIESTE on the 1st and BRINDISI on the 3rd of each month.

The Company's steam launch will be in attendance at the Apollo-bunder on the day of sailing to convey passengers and their luggage to the steamer, free of charge.

STEAM TO COLOMBO, PENANG, SINGAPORE AND HONGKONG.

Steamer.	Captain.	Tons. H.P.	To sail. 1885.
MEDUSA	G. Ragusin	3,500 550	1st March.

STEAM TO COLOMBO AND CALCUTTA.

Steamer.	Captain.	Tons. H.P.	To sail.
ORION	G. Mahorcich	3,500 500	15th March

No Cargo will be received on board after sunset on the day previous to sailing.

For further particulars, freight, passage, &c., apply to

J. JANNI, Agent.

Sassoon House, 50, Church-gate-street, Bombay, Jan. 30, 1885.

HALL LINE OF STEAMERS. BOMBAY AND LIVERPOOL CALLING AT MALTA.

THE following sailings have been arranged :—

	Tons. H.P.	1885.
S. S. SPEKE HALL	2,70 400	17th March.
S. S. KYDAL HALL	2 700 400	31st "
S. S. WESTON HALL	2,700 400	28th April.

These fast Steamers have been specially built and adapted in every way for the Bombay Trade.

Each Steamer carries a SURGEON and STEWARDESS.

For Plans, Handbooks of information, and other particulars as to Passage apply to EDWARD BATES & Co, and KING, KING & Co.

The shipment of packages from up-country by this line is also undertaken.

EDWARD BATES & Co.,
Agents.

33, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, December, 19 1884.

ANCHOR LINE.

S. S. "BELGRAVIA," FOR LIVERPOOL,
SAILING TUESDAY, 3RD MARCH.

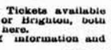
THE attention of Passengers is invited to this fine steamer of 5,000 Tons and 1,000 Horse Power, the largest on the Indian run. She carries a Surgeon and Stewardess, and has splendid accommodation for First Class Passengers only. She is furnished with ample bath rooms, punkahs, &c., and the refrigerating room ensures a full supply of Ice, Fresh Meat and Milk throughout the voyage.

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co.,
Agents.

Bombay, February 9, 1885.

ANCHOR LINE.

INDIAN SERVICE BETWEEN BOMBAY, LIVERPOOL, AND MEDITERRANEAN.



BOMBAY TO LIVERPOOL.

	Tons. H.P.	Comdr.	1885.
s.s. BELGRAVIA	50 0 10 0	G. C. Boothby	2nd Mar.
s.s. PERSIA	5,000 480	H. Hutchison	17th "
s.s. CALIFORNIA	3,110 840	Wm. S. Young	1st April.
s.s. VICTORIA	3242 480	Wm. Russell	23rd "
s.s. ASIA	3550 480	T. Craig	1st May.
s.s. BRITANNIA	3069 480	F. Blight	23rd "
s.s. BELGRAVIA	5000 1000	G. C. Boothby	30th "

BOMBAY TO MARSEILLES* *VIA* KURRACHEE.

	Tons. H.P.		
s.s. NUBIA	3553 480	25th Feb.	1885.

*Can book to London.

To be followed by other first-class steamers at regular intervals.

For the convenience of *Indian* Passengers, an Agency has been opened at 8, Regent St., London, S.W.

For rates of passage and further particulars apply to

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co.,
Agents.

Bombay, Feb. 2, 1885.

CLAN LINE OF STEAMERS.

THE following sailings have been arranged :—

BOMBAY TO LIVERPOOL DIRECT.

	Tons. Comdrs	About
CLAN SINCLAIR	3,000 C. E. Darley	2nd Mar.
" MACGREGOR	3,003 Maclister	12th Mar.
" DIAMOND	3,0 9. S. Wilson	22nd Mar.
" OGILVIE	2,900 G. Nelson	3rd Apl.

BOMBAY TO MARSEILLES DIRECT.

	Tons. Comdr.	About
CLAN CAMERON	2,500 J. Kewley	12th Feb.

To be followed by other first-class steamers at regular intervals.

Each steamer carries a properly qualified Surgeon and Stewardess, and Wines can be had on board at moderate prices.

The steamers have excellent accommodation for first-class passengers.

For information as to rates of passage, &c., apply to

FINLAY, MUIR & Co.,
Agents.

Bombay, 2nd Feb., 1885.

SHIPPING.

THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (LIMITED)

Intend to despatch Steamers as follows :—

FOR KURRACHEE AND KATTYWAR COAST.

S. S. "COMMILLA," 827 tons, on FRIDAY, 20th February, 1885, at noon, calling (weather permitting) at Veraval, Mangarole, Porebunder, and Cutch Mandavie.

FOR KURRACHEE AND PERSIAN GULF.

S. S. "SATARA," 1,301 tons, on arrival of the English Mail calling at Kurrachee, Gwadur, Muscat, Jask, Bunder Abbas, Lingah, Bushire, Fao, and [illegible] on the foregoing or any other, weather permitting.

FOR ADEN, ZANZIBAR AND MOZAMBIQUE.

S. S. "MECCA," 1,450 tons, on 26th February, 1885.

FOR COAST AND CALCUTTA.

S. S. "GOA," 1,906 tons, calling at such ports as may be arranged. Particulars can be ascertained on application to the undersigned.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co.,
Bombay, February 14, 1885. Agents.

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PASSAGES SECURED by P. & O. and other Steamers, and THROUGH TICKETS ISSUED, including Rail and Steamer, available from BOMBAY, CALCUTTA and any principal Railway Station in India, to all parts of the Globe.

THROUGH BOOKINGS to LONDON by ANY ROUTE across the Continent, and every assistance rendered to passengers with COOK'S TICKETS by their interpreters at Brindisi, Venice, Naples, Marseilles, Turin, Paris, &c.

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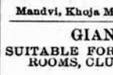

S. S. MALACCA, Captain SCHACHT, will LEAVE this for ZANZIBAR direct on FRIDAY, the 20th inst.—For freight and passage apply to

ALLANA MUNJEE,
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Mandvi, Khoja Mohla, No. 57.

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SUITABLE FOR MUNICIPAL HALLS, MESS ROOMS, CLUBS, AND LARGE OFFICES.

MESSRS. FAVRE-LEUBA AND Co. beg to invite public attention to abovementioned Time-pieces just imported by them. The cases are circular, and of plain massive best seasoned oak. Back of case diameter of 3 feet, diameter of dial 2 feet. Hands and figures plain and massive, visible at a long distance.

The works are with pendulum and of the best description possible. Guarantee five years. Price, Rs. 300.

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Abscess Lancets.	Firing Irons.
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Drenching Horns.	Syringes.
Fleams.	Scales.

	Rs. a.
Complete pocket Sets of Instruments, mounted in buffalo-horn handles in folding morocco case	40 0
Veterinary Clyster Syringe and Stomach Pump with pipe for Sheep and Dogs, &c., in mahogany case	36 0
Ditto. ditto. with tobacco fumigator and Horse Catheter, in mahogany case	50 0

TREACHER & CO., Ld.,
BOMBAY, BYLCULA AND POONA.

VETERINARY MEDICINES, &c.

	Rs. a.
TREACHER'S ALTERATIVE Condition Powders per bottle	1 12
Condition Cough, Fever, Cordial, Diuretic, Physic, and other Balls made to order.	
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Clarke's Hoplemuroma.	
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Hillman's Embrocation for Cattle.	
Geneau's Liniment for Horses.	
James's Blistering Ointment.	
Leeming's Essence for Lameness.	
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Taylor's Condition Balls.	
Naldire's Dog Soap.	
" Worm Powders.	
Blaine's Distemper Powders.	
Calvert's Carbolic Dog Soap.	

TREACHER AND CO., Limited,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

BAY RUM AND GLYCERINE HAIR WASH

POSSESSES wonderfully stimulating properties, and promotes the growth of the Hair without injury to the skin.

Price Rs. 2 and Rs. 3-8 per bottle.

ERASMUS WILSON'S HAIR WASH,

Prepared from the formula of the late Professor Wilson. An excellent remedy for preventing the Hair falling off.

Price, Rs. 2-4 per bottle.

LIMEJUICE AND GLYCERINE

Effectually cleanses the skin of the Head and promotes the growth of the Hair.

Per bottle 14 as. and Re. 1-4.

THOMSON AND TAYLOR,
35, Esplanade Road, Bombay.

TAYLOR'S OZONE WATER.

Is a powerful though harmless bleacher of dark Hair produces that

GOLDEN TINT

So universally sought after and admired,

Per bottle, Re 1-2

Per cases of 3 bottles Rs. 3.

PREPARED BY
THOMSON AND TAYLOR,
35, Esplanade, Bombay.

IODISED SARSAPARILLA.

THE extraordinary efficacy of this combination as a BLOOD PURIFIER and RESTORER cannot be too highly estimated. In the treatment of all kinds of diseases arising from impurities in the blood it is invaluable.

Price per bottle, Re. 1-8.

ELIXIR CASCARA SAGRADA

has had a long and favourable reputation as a Laxative and Tonic.

It gives relief in cases of habitual Constipation.

Re. 1-8 per bottle.

ELIXIR OF PEPSINE, BISMUTH AND NUX VOMICA.

This preparation is a combination of three useful remedies in a most palatable form, and will be found very efficacious in cases of Indigestion and Dyspepsia.

Per bottle, Rs. 2.

PREPARED ONLY BY
THOMSON AND TAYLOR,
MANUFACTURING CHEMISTS,
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ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL—£2,000,000 STERLING.

TOTAL ACCUMULATED FUNDS, invested in the best and safest Securities, now amount to

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POLICIES covering risks on MERCHANDISE, BUILDINGS, SPINNING MILLS, COTTON AND JUTE PRESSES, SHOPS, BUNGALOWS, HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, HOTELS, AND ULUBS, both in BOMBAY and in the MOFUSSIL, granted on most favourable terms. COALS on the BUNDERS and KEROSINE OIL also covered.

Fire Premiums for 1882	£300,690
" 1883	£344,7

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POLICIES granted by the UNDERSIGNED without reference to Head Office on APPROVED lives. MILITARY LIVES in CIVIL employ have extra premium returned.

ENDOWMENT ASSURANCES, payable at fixed periods or adult, and children on very favourable terms.

LAST REVERSIONARY BONUS 7½ per cent.

REDUCTION TO EUROPEAN rates, when assured leaves either Alexandria or Port Said.

Accumulated LIFE FUNDS now amount to £2,878,159

GROWTH OF FUNDS.

1867	£1,405,541	17 2	1877	£2,758,042	19
1873	£2,318,21	11 5	1882	£4,842,054	14

THOS. H. MOORE & Co.,
Agents. Royal Insurance Company.
9, Hummum-street.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that LUXUMIBAI, widow of BHAI RAMCHUNDRA PURSHOTUM BHAI, SHAMRAO BHAI, KESHOVRAO BHAI, MADHOWRAO BHAI, BALWANTRAO BHAI, and MORESHWAR BHAI, have contracted to sell. All that piece or parcel of land or ground with cocoanut trees and buildings thereon, situate at Girgaum, on the Gamdevi-road, and known as Ramchunder's cart, admeasuring 9270 square yards or thereabouts, assessed by the Collector under Collectors old Nos. 37 and 171, new Nos. 752 and 1,469, old survey No. 631, and new survey No. 7981, and which said buildings are assessed by the Collector of Assessment under Nos. 59 and 60, and bounded as follows, that is to say, on or towards the east by the Victoria Mill, on or towards the west by a Dharamsalla, and the cart of Janardhan Raghobe, and on or towards the north and south by the Gamdevi Public-road.

All persons having any claims against the said property by way of inheritance, lease, mortgage or otherwise are requested to make the same known in writing to the undersigned Solicitors to the purchaser at their office in the National Bank Building, Rampart-row, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the purchase will be completed without reference to any such claim if there be any.—Dated this 16th day of February, 1885.

PAYNE, GILBERT, & SAYANI,
Purchaser's Solicitors.

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MAHABLESHWUR READY LAID DAK. —Framjee Ardaseer, Mail Contractor, appointed Supplier in ordinary to H. E. the Governor of Bombay, has always on hand at Civil Lines, Poona, comfortable DAK PHAETONS and TONGAS. Terms moderate.

FOR Rs. 3-4 an elegant Table Ornament, Inkstand, and Stationery Case (combined). Only few remaining.—PALLONJEE, Confectioner, Elphinstone Circle.

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W. J. ESSAI, BAZAAR PURVEYING ESTABLISHMENT, Market.

W. J. ESSAI, Cumballa Hill Branch,—Wines, stores, and every Household requisite.

W. J. ESSAI, ÆRATED WATER MANUFACTORY, Medows street, Fort. Carter's Ginger Ale.

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UPRIGHT overstrung Pianoforte by Blüthner & Co. Cost 80 guineas. 18 months in use, Rs. 800. Apply to Captain C. M. WESTERN, R. A., Kirkee.

ENGLISH DOG-CART, imported from Long Acre, London. Cash, £45. One year in use. Very light. Rs. 600. Apply to Captain C. M. WESTERN R.A., Kirkee.

FOR SALE, "Miss Prude," Chesnut Waler Mare, 7 years old, very handsome, passed charger, regularly ridden by a lady, and beautiful jumper, likely steeple chaser, Rs. 1,200. Apply to Captain C. M. WESTERN, R.A., Kirkee.

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BARMAID.—WANTED a respectable young LADY of good personal appearance. Hours 5 to 12 p. m. Apply to BARMAN, care of this paper.

CLEARANCE SALE.—GLENROY & Co., No. 59 Meadow-street, wish to dispose of their GOODS VERY CHEAP TO CLOSE their BUSINESS. An opportunity for Chinese, Japane e, Persian, and Indian curiosities and fancy other articles should not be missed.

JUST RECEIVED, per mail, Good French Kid Gloves, 2 Buttons, at Rs. 2-4 per pair, with a choice assortment of Fancy Tweeds, &c., for the season.—Y. A. LACKA & Co., Hummum-street, Fort.

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NEW WALTZ, entitled "Nina," by Music Master S. C. Gordon, author of the above. Price, Re. 1-8 Apply to S. Rose and Co., Fort, Bombay.

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DRIED COD FISH, Ham, Bacon, Cheese, and Oilmen stores can be had at PEARSE'S, Apollo-street.

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PICKLED CABBAGE, mixed Pickles, Chow-Chow, Walnuts, in gallon jars.—PEARSE, Apollo-street.

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FOR SALE, LANDAU and pair with harness, Waler MARE, Lady's HORSE, Apply to Col. ROWLANDSON, Pay Office.

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NORTON'S PATENT ABYSSINIAN TUBE WELLS for absolutely pure and cheap water.—Sole Agents, JOHN S. ELLORE & Co., 34, Meadow-st., Bombay.

COMFORTABLE PHAETONS and TONGA DAWKS for Mahableshwar, ready laid, at very moderate rates.—Pereshaw Burjorjee, Proprietor, Poona.

PIANO STOOLS.—Morocco-covered, with patent metal boss and screw, Rs. 25 each. J. NEUBERG, Bombay.

ART POTTERY, suited for PRESENTS, Address to Mr. Atmaram Vithul, Head Clerk Pottery Works, Sir J. J. School of Art, Esplanade Bombay.

TO LET at Matheran for the season the "GARBUT HALL," nicely laid out garden and furnished. For rent, &c., apply to Sorabjee Dadabhoy Dubash, Elphinstone Circle.

TO HAND a new consignment of Coatings, Scotch Tweeds, Angolas, &c. All wool suits from Rs. 20. Trousers all wool from Rs. 3. JOHN MAHOMED & Co., 16, Meadow-street.

CHUBB'S SAFES, Writing, Cash, Paper and Key Boxes Locks and Padlocks. Sole Agent in Bombay, Edulice Pestonjee, 47 Parsee Bazar St., Fort, Illustrated Price-Lists free by post.

AUSTRALIAN HORSES, FOR SALE, commission, at Scott & Co.'s Stables. A fresh batch of well bred, broken horses, amongst which are several pairs measuring from 15 to 16 hands.

WRITE for our new set of patterns of Shirtings in at materials. Large consignments just to hand Special manufacture for Hot Weather Shirts.—BADHAM PILE & Co., Limited, Bombay.

WANTED, at the beginning of May, furnished or unfurnished, a suite of room in the Fort, for three gentlemen, including the usual servants' quarters. Address G. B. G., *Gazette* office.

WONDERLAND Art Pottery Works. Christmas presents. Reduced prices. Silver Medals, Paris Exhibition, 1878; Amsterdam Exhibition, 1883; Calcutta Exhibition, 1883-84.—Esplanade, Bombay.

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UNEQUALLED SCOTCH WHISKY.

CASH. per doz. Rs.	as.					CASH. per doz. Rs.	as.
22	8	... Treacher's	...	GLENLIVET	... Whisky ...	22	8

A blend composed of matured Whiskies from the most renowned Distilleries in Scotland.

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The cream of Scotch Whiskies, softened and matured by Age.

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Pure and wholesome, Guaranteed to be distilled from the best malt, and free from any smoky or objectionable flavour.

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Highly recommended as a stimulant by the most eminent Physicians.

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Is supplied to upwards of one hundred and twenty Regimental Messes, Clubs, and Co-operative Societies.

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Special terms for quantities to the Trade, Messes, Clubs and Co-operative Societies.

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WINE MERCHANTS,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

TRUNKS, BAGS, &c.

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RUG STRAPS AND DECK CHAIRS IN GREAT VARIETY.

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PORTMANTEAUS, &c.

	Rs. a.	Rs. a.
Gent's Overland Trunks, Stout Japanned Canvas	27 0 to	36 0
Best quality, very durable...	40 0 to	50 0
The "Service" or Trooper, extra Wide, and Low, to fit under seat, or berth of Cabin.	45 0 to	50 0
Ladies' Dress Trunks, or Imperials	45 0 to	60 0
Solid Leather Portmanteaus, self-closing ...	55 0 to	125 0
Railway Portmanteaus, tan waterproof canvas...	12 0 to	48 0
Vade Mecums, very useful for Train or Cabin ...	38 0 to	44 0
Gladstone or Expanding Bags	36 0 to	56 0
Hide Hand or Carriage Bags...	12 0 to	29 0
Courier Bags	10 0 to	14 0
Wide Opening Bags, best hide leather... ...	20 0 to	29 0
Ladies' Fitted Toilet Bags...	65 0 to	75 0
Ladies' Morocco Bags, sterling silver fittings ...	100 0 to	175 0
Gent's Fitted Bags	75 0 to	150 0
Gent's Solid Leather Dressing Cases	19 0 to	40 0
Tan or White Bags, for soiled linen	5 12 to	8 8
Ladies' Hand and Carriage Bags	6 8 to	20 0

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WATCH MANUFACTURERS, JEWELLERS,
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"OUR CHEAP WATCHES ARE THE ADMIRATION OF ALL WATCHMAKERS AND A CAUSE OF SATISFACTION TO BUYERS."

NOTE.—Our own Factory in Locle, from where all our watches emanate, was established in 1814. This fact, coupled with the experience we have gained in India during nearly 20 years, stands to reason that we are in a position to supply a watch which with regard to quality, usefulness, neat appearance, and cheapness, remains unequalled.

NOTE.—We are the only Watchmakers in India who have obtained the "HIGHEST AWARD," viz., Gold Medal and First Class certificate at the late Calcutta Exhibition.

The following are a few of our cheap watches which we especially and confidently recommend as thoroughly reliable and good.

A. Our celebrated Original Campaign Lever keyless Watches in white metal case.
1. In open crystal faced case.....Rs. 25
2. " hunting case..... " 28
3. " half-hunting case..... " 30
Guarantee, 2 years.

B. Our metal keyless Lever Watches.
1. In open crystal faced case.....Rs. 18
Guarantee, one year.

C. Our Sterling Silver keyless Watches.
1. In open crystal faced case.....Rs. 40
2. " hunting case..... " 45
3. " half-hunting case..... " 50
Guarantee, 2 years.

D. Our celebrated Silver Lever Watches, key winding.
1. In open crystal faced case.....Rs. 25
2. " hunting case..... " 26
3. " half-hunting case..... " 27
4. The above three of superior quality " 35
Guarantee, 2 years.

E. Our cheapest Silver Lever Watches, key winding.
1. In Silver Open faced case.....Rs. 18
2. " " hunting case..... " 19
3. " half-hunting case..... " 20
Guarantee, 1 year.

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TURKISH BATH TOWELS.

BEST DAMASK TABLE LINEN.

SHEETS, PILLOWS, &c.

ASQUITH AND LORD beg to call attention to their Superior Stock of the above goods.

PRICE LIST.

TOWELS.

	Rs. a.
Soft White Honeycomb, very strong and durable... ...per doz.	10 0
Fine Linen Huckaback ... "	18 0
Extra Super do. for Face, "	22 8
Royal Turkish, white or brown "	21 0
Extra large do. do. ... "	36 0
Turkish Bath Blankets, very large, drying the Bather in a few seconds ... ...each	6 8

ENGLISH PILLOWS.

Horse-hair, covered with stout ticking, full size ... ...each	7 8
Best Feather, thoroughly cleaned	7 8
Travelling Pillows for Dak or Rail	2 0

TABLE LINEN.

	Yards.	Rs. a.
Super Double Damask Table-cloths, with rich centres...	2½ by 2	15 0
	2½ by 3	18 0
		21 0
Double Damask Cloth, cut by the yards to suit any sized table... ...	2½ Yds. wide 2½ " per yd.	6 8
		7 8
Damask Napkins, suitable for common use or on board the Troopships ...per doz.		5 0
Superior quality Damask Napkins ... ...per doz.		15 0
		18 0
		21 0
		24 0

SHEETS.

Horrocks's best Twilled Sheets... ... ...per pair...	single	9 8
	double	11 8
Fine Pillow-cases ...each		1 4

Carriage and Packing Free when sent per Value Payable Post, on orders exceeding Rs. 20.

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COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

MONDAY EVENING, FEB. 16.

THE commercial mind has been rendered so apprehensive of late by a prolonged period of adverse trade that every movement giving the faintest reflection of the political situation is eagerly watched. In this way the decline in Consols in London to 99½ on Saturday is viewed with some little uneasiness, and the general feeling in business here to-day has been very unfavourable. It would be difficult to imagine a less encouraging outlook than merchants have before them at the moment. The decline in Silver, and conjointly in Exchange, is dead against import business, whilst the rise in freights causes almost a suspension in Wheat exports, and Cotton is not only striving in small quantities, but is meeting a most limited inquiry in European markets. It is easy to say that when things are at the worst they are sure to mend, but as day after day opens to deeper depression it becomes difficult to estimate where the worst may be.

The Bank of Bombay return for the week ending on Saturday shows the following changes :—

Public Deposit at H O.	Inc.	Rs.	3,24,475
Do. do. branches	Inc.	,,	23,654
Other Deposits	Inc.	,,	96,758
Loans	Dec.	,,	1,69,743
Bills Discounted	Inc.	,,	6,86,873
Cash with Correspondents	Dec.	,,	34,766
Cash and Currency Notes	Dec.	,,	50,344

The trade demand, it will be observed, has again increased slightly, but not to an extent which will have any effect on the value of money. The market is unquestionably easy, and demand loans outside are still obtainable on Government Paper at 4 per cent. per annum.

GOVERNMENT PAPER.—With a further decline in London of ¼ in 4 per cent. and ¼ in 4½, the market here opened with a decidedly downward tendency. For Fours Rs. 96¾ was quoted to begin with, but at the close Paper was offering freely at Rs. 96¼, without finding buyers. Fours-and-a-half are quite nominal at Rs. 99½.

SHARES are dull. Quotations for Spinning and Weaving Mills are again in some few instances better owing to bears covering in previous sales, but the general tone and position of the market have not improved. Most of the mills are barely making both ends meet, and simply keep on working in hopes of an ultimate turn. Bombay and Burmah Trading Shares are Rs. 25 lower at Rs. 4,175.

EXCHANGE.—With Bar Silver in London down to 49d. per oz. and weak at that, the market for sterling to-day has shown an amount of weakness which almost reaches a panic. We opened at 1s. 6¾d. for demand Bank Bills and 1s. 7 5-32d. for 3 months' credits, but with nothing to afford the least support in the Calcutta telegrams and considerably more anxiety here to buy than sell. Bank Bills declined 3-32d., and private paper 1-32d to 1-16d. It is not only the actual decline which has been established in ready rates, however, which betokens the real weakness, but the willingness shown to buy forward for any part of the season at only 1-32d. advance. This would almost indicate that, on the general average, operators had been going short in the matter of remittances, and if so, we may have some distance further to go yet before we touch bottom. For importers the situation is adverse to a degree, and the worst of it is that as things now stand exports are not getting a corresponding benefit, so that the mattiral reaction has less chance of being developed. Closing quotations are :—

Bank Bills on demand	1s. 6 25-32d.	to 13-16d.	per rupee
Do. Telegraphic	1s. 6 29-32d.		,,
Credits, three months' sight	1s. 7¼d.		,,
Francs, do. do	3f 02½d.		,,

COTTON.—Private advices have brought nothing of an encouraging character since Saturday. The tone in Liverpool may be slightly firmer, but buyers of Surats do not come out at all, and the consequence is that exporters here are still operating on a hand-to-mouth basis, only buying what they want to cover early shipments. Prices are no lower, but there is next to nothing doing, and arrivals do not increase, the receipts for the half-week ending to-day being only 13,000 bales.

WHEAT is dull and depressed. Arrivals are now falling off, but in the absence of freight room stocks are still on the increase. No. 1 Pessy is nominal at Rs. 2¾ per candy.

SEEDS remain dull and unchanged.

FREIGHTS are still hardening for near loading 30s. to 31-3d. being the quotations for Liverpool, 32s. 6d. for continental ports. The s.s. Beaconsfield is reported fixed for early March loading at 27s. 6d. as also the Bengal, now due.

Government, we hear, have taken up a number of British India S. N. Co. steamers at Rs. 17 per ton, and are believed to be still in the market, as the expedition is assuming larger lines than was at first calculated upon.

COALS are firm for near at hand at about Rs. 17 per ton alongside, but distant shipment is only quoted at Rs. 15-8 for leading descriptions.

PIECE-goods and Yarns are dull in the extreme, the extent of business passing being a long way under the average.

BOMBAY BILL AND STOCK LISTS.

BANKS.

	Shares.	Amt.	Paid up.	Last Dividend.	Cash. Rate.
INDIAN BANKS.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.
Bank of Bombay	20,000	500	all	5 p.ct.	755½
Bank of Bengal	42,000	500	all	1 do.	860
Bank of Madras	10,000	500	all	5 do.	630
EXCHANGE BANKS.		£	£		
Agra Bank	10,000	100	all	6 do.	118
Hong. and Shang. B. Corporation	60,000	$125	all	17½ do.	250
National Bank of India	37,320	£ 250	12½	do.	99

SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES.

Ahmedabad S. & W Company	1,30	1,000	1,00(	...	1,375
Albert Edward Cotton Mills Co., Ld.	1,000	500	500	Rs. 18¾	510
Anglo-Indian S. & W. Company	30,000	100	100	Rs. 2	101
Alfred Manf'g. Co.	1,000	500	500	Rs. 17½	400
AllianceCotton & Silk Manufg. Co., Ld.	1,800	1,000	1,00(	Rs. 30	680
Bellary S. & W. Co. Ld.	871	500	all		475
Bhownuggur Mills	9,0	100	100		230
Bombay Limited	900	1,000	1,000	Rs. 30	900
BudnoiraMf'g. Co., Ld.	1,000	500	500		200
Central India S. & W. Company	3,000	500	5?8	Rs. 40	675
Connaught Mills	810	500	200		230
Coorla Mills	1,200	1,000	1,00(	Rs. 30	645
City of Bombay	600	1,00	1,000		730
D. Spinning	3,000	2,	2,0.0		285
Dhun Mills	1,000	1,0	1,0		1,000
Empress S. & W. Co.	1,500	5	5	Rs. 25	735
Framji Petit Mf'g. Co.	1,250	1,0	1,0		580
Golam Baba S. Co.	1,000	2	2		430
Gordon Mills	1,022	1,00	1,00		268
Hindustan Mills	1,200	1,0	1,0	40	700
Hingunghat Mill Co.	700	50	50	7	700
HydrabadSpinningCo.	700	1,0	1,0	Rs. 70	1,175
Imp. Cotton Mills Co.	4 0	1,0	1,0	Rs. 20	450
Indian Manf'g Co. Ld.	68	1,00	1,0		850
James Greaves Mills.	100	500	500		435
Jaffer Ali Spin. Co.	1,34	1,0	1,0	Rs. 40	900
Jewraz Bhalloo	1,0	1,00	1,0	Rs. 30	1,020
Khandelah	750	1,00	1,0	Rs. 30	820
Kalee Mackenzie	1,000	1,00	1,0	Rs. 40	810
Leopold S., Bleaching & Mfg. Co., Ld.	3,500	Pa	1,0	Rs. 8	134 xd.
Madras United	500	100	3.00		3.000
Mahaluxhmi	650	1,00	1,0	Rs. 35	690
Manockjee Petit's	4,000	1,0	1,0	Rs. 5	1,147½
Mazagon Spinning Co.	6,000	2,	2,0	Rs. 40	1,864
Morarjee Goculdas	1,150	1,00	1,0	Rs. 65	1,360
National Spinning	600	1,00	1,00		580
NagpurCottonCleaning Co. Ld.	1,000	100	100		120
New Great Eastern	1,000	1,00	1,00	Rs. 45	970
Oriental	5,750	625	625	Rs. 2	485
Parell S. & W. Co. Ld.	2,5.0	400	400	Rs. 1	175
People of India S. & W. Company	1,000	250	250	6¾	185
Prince of Wales Spinning Company.	1,250	500	500		130
Queen Spinning	800	1,00	1,0		765
Ripon	641	1,0	1,0		625
Sassoon S. & W. Co.	1,500	1,00	1,00	Rs. 50	1,400
Shoiapore Mills	678	1,00	1,00	Rs. 70	1,350
Soonderdas	650	1,0	1,00	Rs. 30	6.0
Southern India	1,000	500	500	Rs. 20	410
Southern Mahratta S. & W. Co. Ld.	1,212	250	250	Rs. 10	280
Victoria Mills	650	1,00	1,00		525
Western India S.&M. Company	1,200	1,00	1,000	Rs. 25	160

MISCELLANEOUS.

Alcock Ashdown & Co. Ld.	1,750	200	150	Rs. 4	145
Bathani Pile & Co. Ld.	1,000	100	100	Rs. 12	170
Bapty Co., Ld.	2,625	200	165	Rs. 10	206
Barton & Co., Ld.	1,000	100	1.0	Rs. 10	90xd.
The Bombay Land & Building Co., Ld.	300	500	100		100
Bombay Flour Mill Co.	500	500	500		490
Bombay Saw Mills	600	1,000	1,000		415
Bombay Ice Manufacturing Co., Limited.	1,250	100	100	Rs. 5	108
Bombay & Burmah Trading Corporation.	1,000	2,500	1,500	300	4,175
Do. New Shares	1,000	500	300	60	825
Bombay Fire Insurance Co., Ld.	600	1,000	1,000	25	875
Bombay Municipal Bonds	..	..	..	6 p.ct.	104
Bombay Brick & Tile Co., Ld.	1,000	100	100	..	10 n
Bombay Tile Co.	1,000	100	100	..	..
Cash Balance	1,500	100	100	..	70
Cooper, Madon & Co., Ld.	3,000	100	100	10½	120
Indian Guarantee Suretyship Association	5,000	100	10	Re. 1	12
Kaisar-i-Hind Gold Mining Co., Limited	42,000	..	5	..	..
Kurrachee Ice Co., Ld.	500	500	300	36	43
Kurrachee Lighterage Company, Ld.	500	500	200	30p. c.	35
Kemp & Co., Ld.	4,000	200	175	Rs. 221	321
Mechanics Building Co.	4,000	50	50	1½	319
Oriental Government Security Life Assurance Company	5,000	200	50	2½	23
Oriental Loan Association	5,000	20	20	1½	55
Pearse and Co., Ld.	1,000	100	100	..	..
Prince of Wales Fire Insurance	250	8,000	1,000	Rs.	23
Soundy & Co., Ld.	1,000	10	10		95
Telephone Co., Ld.	19,300	2	2	.. 100	1.0
Thacker & Co., Ld.	2,000	600	600	p.ct. 8	82
Thacker & Co., Ld.	1,500	100	100	Rs. 1	75
Western India Wharf Mills	3,000	150	..	Rs. 90	1,185
				12 p.ct.	127

LAND COMPANIES.

Colaba Land & Mill Co.	4,000	700	700	Rs. 14		710
Port Canning Co.	5,000	1,000	1,000			255

RAILWAY COMPANIES.

G I P Railway Co.'s Consolidated Stock	..	£20	216-3-0	5 p.ct	160
Do. New £20 shares	..	£20	13 0-14-0	do.	330
Ditto	..	£20	5-7-3	do.	585
Ditto	..	£20	21-13-1	do.	..
B. B. & C. I. Ry. Co.	..	£100	1,000	do.	617
Do. New Shares	£1	£18	6-.0	do.	5)

BANK OF BOMBAY.

STATEMENT of the affairs of the Bank of Bombay for the week ending 14th February, as compared with the statement of 7th February,—

LIABILITIES.	Feb. 7. Rs.	Feb. 14. Rs.
Proprietors' Capital	1,00,00,000	1,00,00,000
Reserve Fund invested in Govt. and other authorised Securities	25,00,000	25,00,000
Public Deposits at Head Office	38,64,024	39,88,499
do. do. at Branches	13,07,907	12,91,561
Other Deposits	2,25,18,285	2,26,15,023
Post Bills	15,816	19,752
Cash Credits undrawn	8,36,176	7,01,893
	4,08,54,188	4,12,96,228
ASSETS.		
Govt. & other authorised Securities	49,83,991	49,81,48
Cash Credits, on Security of Govt. Paper, Bullion, and Merchandise	19,44,35)	19,27 876
Loans, on Security of do	42,15,770	40 46 027
Current Accounts, overdrawn	1,515	615
Bills Discounted and purchased	1,36,13,203	1,43,00,078
Stamps	28,841	28,310
Dead Stock Rs. 4,66,773		
Amt. applied in reduction 1,50,000	3,11,773	3,11,773
Cash Balances with Correspondents	5,15,116	4,81,050
Cash and Currency Notes	1,52,99,569	1,52,18,985
	4,08,54,188	4,12,96,228

BANK OF BENGAL.

THE following is the statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal, for the week ending 10th February as compared with that for the 3rd February :—

LIABILITIES.	Feb. 3. Rs. a. p.	Feb. 10. Rs. a. p.
Capital paid-up	2,00,00,000 0 0	2,00,00,000 0 0
Reserve Fund	41,59,251 4 4	41,59,251 4 4
Treasury Balances	1,67,06,9?? 7 7	2,06,39 069 2 8
Other Deposits	2,92,19,961 2 0	2,96,75,893 9 5
Bank Post Bills, &c.	5,21,151 9 7	4,74,697 10 2
Sundries	11,46,525 12 6	11,40,095 4 9
Rs.	7,17,53,803 4 0	7,60,82 609 15 4
ASSETS.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
Government Securities	64,86,429 8 0	62,14,990 8 0
Other authorized Invtmts	36,91,?90 0 0	36 80,142 8 0
Loans on Govt. Securities	90,65,373 11 9	87,05,198 6 11
Credits on do.	76,10,175 1 11	76,30,884 6 7
Bills Discounted	1,70,22,982 11 8	1,71,22,135 14 5
Balances with other Banks	3,56,?96 11 6	8,57,?82 4 8
Bullion	5,42,?68 0 6	4,69,078 6 4
Dead Stock	11,70,939 15 1	11,68,881 9 8
Stamps	8,51(12 9	7,810 0 0
Sundries	8,53,?17 3 4	8,48,782 15 2
Cash at Head Office	90,31,034 5 10	1,09,6.,362 13 2
Do. at Branches	1,59,13,487 1 5	1,39,10,010 4 4
Rs.	7,17,53,803 4 0	7,60,82,609 15 4

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE steamer Regal, 1,636 tons, Captain R. Abbot, sailed yesterday for Kurrachee in ballast.

THE steamer Iran, 108 tons, Nacoda, will sail to-day for Bhownuggur with a general cargo and 101 deck passengers.

THE steamer Bhownuggur, 108 tons, Nacoda, arrived in harbour yesterday from Bhownuggur with a general cargo and 50 deck passengers.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Sirdhana, Captain J. W. Livingstone, arrived in harbour on the 15th instant from Calcutta (31st Jan.), via Galle and Colombo, with a general cargo, and Mr. Webb as a passenger.

THE B. and P. S. N. Co.'s steamer King Arthur, 1,047 tons, Captain F. J. Raffin, arrived in harbour on the 15th instant from Persian Gulf with a general cargo, 150 chests opium, 2 horses, and Master J. R. Isaac, and 135 deck passengers.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Purulia, 993 tons, Captain A. P. Turner, will sail to-day for Persian Gulf via Kurrachee, with a general cargo and the following passengers :—Lieut.-Col. G. A. Jacob, a gentlemen, Mr.-and Mrs. Brandella, Captain and Mrs. MacKenzie, Mr. Dapoui, four native officers, Mr. Ahmed Sallah and boy, and 202 deck.

ARRIVAL.

Feb.	Vessel.	Commander	From.
14	China (s)	Jussuf	Genoa, Jan. 24.
15	Sirdhana (s)	Livingston	Calcutta, Jan. 31.
	King Arthur (s)	Raffin	Busserah, Jan. 31.
	Nubia (s)	Knox	Glasgow, Jan. 13.
16	Bhownuggur (s)	Nacoda	Bhownuggur, Feb. 15

DEPARTURES.

Feb.	Vessel.	Commander	Destination.
16	Regal (s)	Abbot	Kurrachee.

The following vessels obtained their port clearences yesterday :—

Steamer Purulia, Turner, to Persian Gulf via Kurrachee.
,, Iran, Nacoda, to Bhownuggur.

The following vessels were entered for loading yesterday :—

Steamer Accomac, to Antwerp.
,, Bhownuggur, to Bhownuggur.
,, China, to Gonas, &c.

CALCUTTA.

Feb. ARRIVALS.

10 Mahratta (s) ..... Coope ..... Rangoon, Feb. 2.
Malda (s) ..... Brown ..... Singapore, Jan. 22.
11 Lanore ..... Mabon ..... Bourbon, Dec. 22.
12 Chindwara (s) .... Gillett ..... Bombay, Jan. 21.
Secundra (s) ..... Stebbing .... Calcutta, Jan. 11.

DEPARTURES.

Feb. 10.—Schooner Wilhelmine.
Feb. 11.—Ship Neva, Barque Eugene.
Feb. 12.—Barque Fazel Currim.

MADRAS.

Feb. DEPARTURES.

10 Dumphaile Castle .... Natal.
Cian Mackenzie (s) .. .. Calcutta.
China (s) .... Bombay.
11 Oriental (s) .... Rangoon.
13 Hirudai (s) .... London.
Tibre (s) .... Calcutta.
Arcot (s) .... Calcutta.
Goalpara (s) .... Bombay.
14 Almora (s) .... Calcutta.

DAILY IMPORTS.—FEBRUARY 16.

FROM LONDON.

Chusan s—10 cases aniline dye, Vuscrjee Toolsidas; 9 casks zinc sheets, Cawoodkhan Addool Oosein.
Cathay s—[cases medicines, 100 cases beer 50 cases sherry, 40 cases gin, and 140 cases ale sale, Treacher and Co; 100 cases champagne, Lyon and Co; 25 cases champagne, Sir Cuarles Forbes and Co; 5 cases confectionery, M. Nurmoodin; 12 cases oilmanstores, H. Nuzerally; 30 cases shot, Essoofally Mahmedally and Co.
Bengore Head s—8 case medicines, Heerjee Mooljee and Co; 15 cases glass, Cutler, Palmer and Co.
Huzara s—8 case ham, bacon, provisions and soap, Limtjee Manockjee Marker; 10 cases billiard slates, Ewar, Latham and Co.
Kangra s—9 cases sherry, Cutler, Palmer and Co.
Arcot s—10 cases champagne, Cutler, Palmer and Co.

FROM GLASGOW.

Arabia s—50 cases whiskey, Cutler, Palmer and Co.

FROM ANTWERP.

Chusan s—2.0 boxes candles, Gumally Jeewanjee and Co; 1 cask cognac, Hormusjee Huttonjee and Co.

FROM MARSEILLES.

R. Rubattino s—75 cases brandy, D. P. Batha and Co.

FROM TRIESTE.

Pollux s—2 cases glasswares, Beil, Brandenburg and Col

DAILY EXPORTS.—FEBRUARY 16.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Alpula s—, 10,000 cwts wheat, Wallace and Co.
Niagara s—, 2,700 cwts wheat, Lang, Moir and Co; 26,000 cwts wheat, Ralli Brothers; 1,200 cwts myrabolams, Mooljee Jairaj; 100 bales cotton, J. C Bushby and Co; 4,000 cwts wheat, Killick, Nixon and Co; 200 bales cotton, Ewart, Latham and Co; 364 bales wool, Nursee Khuttow.
Loand , s—, 980 cwts myrabolams, Goculdass Jaithaney.

FOR LONDON.

Ascolan s—3 bales woollen carpets, Mummoohmda Barkisondass; 93 cwts dry ginger, H. Goculdass; 60 cwts dry ginger, Shewjee Ramjee; 23 cwts deer horns, Sulleman Hussan; 37½ cwts cupoorcatchree, Nut oo Lalljee; 10 cases cardamoms, Mooljee Goculdass; 8 bales skins, Kuhjonally Rumjanally; 16 cwts fishmaws, Dewrazjhoy Peerbhoy; 24 cwts oil berry, Sulaiman Hussan.

FOR GENOA.

China s—200 bales cotton and 2,000 cwts wheat, Lang, Moir and Co; 3,935 cwts wheat and 2,640 cwts linseed, Volkart Brthers; 300 tons old iron, Rajaram Tyebjee and Co.
Assam s—15 chests opium the P. and O. Co.

FOR HAVRE.

Bonnington s—50 bales cotton, George Lockhart and Co; 1,001 cwts wheat, Volkart Brothers.

FOR HULL.

Abana s—11,250 cwts linseed and 1,020 cwts myrabolams, Ralli Brothers.

FOR TRIESTE.

Knight of St. Patrick s—50 bales cotton, Lyon and Co.
Bangore Head s—600 bales cotton, Gaddum, Bythell and Co; 230 bales cotton, Ralli Brothers; 235 bales cotton, F. Sauquet and Co.
Assam s—110 bales cotton, Glade and Co; 220 bales cotton, Gaddum, Bythell and Co.

FOR VENICE.

Knight of St Patrick s—25 bales cotton, Harvey and Co.
Bengore Head s—1,200 bales cotton, Ralli Brothers and Co; 2,000 cwts gingelly seed, Lang, Moir and Co; 2,5?4 cwts Peel, Casals and Co; 600 cwts ginger, 50 bales cotton Brothers, linseed, Volkart Brothers.
Assam s—20 bales cotton, Gaddum, Bythell and Co; 330 bales cotton, Glade and Co; 1,000 cwts linseed, Volkart Brothers.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Sheikh s—160 cwts linseed and ... LES. Brothers.

FOR A... 2,000 cwts wheat, Rall

Accomac s—72 bales cotton, ... NTWERP. linseed, Wallace ... on, Harvey and Co; 8,865 cwts H. Moore and C... nd Co; 260 bales cotton, Thos. 12,000 cwts ginger ... ; 1,100 bales cotton, 50 bales hemp, Volkart Brothers ... ilseed, and 500 cwts weed seed. ... rs.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY.

BOMBAY, February 15.

Means of observations at 6 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m., 4 p.m. and 10 p.m.

Barometer corrected 32 deg. Fah.	29·905
Temperature of the Air	73·9
Wet Bulb Thermometer	63·1
Dew Point	56·4
Relative humidity of Air	548
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky clouded—8)	0·0
Maximum temperature of air (read at 6 p.m.)	81·6
Minimum do. do. (read at 10 a.m.)	64·5
General Direction of Wind	NNW, N, NE, NW, NNW.
Movement of wind in 24 hours	340

From midnight to midnight.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—FEBRUARY 14.

Nuttall, Captain, Dy. Asst. Adjt. Genl. for Musketry, on duty, from Aden.
Persse, Major, Staff Corps, on leave, from Enland.

FEBRUARY 15.

Jack, Surg., on leave, from England.
Hammond, Lieut., Bedfordshire, on leave, from England.
Swann, Lieut., 1st Grenadiers, on duty, from Poona
Johnson, Lieut., R. A., on duty, from Kirkee.
Aitken, Lieut., 19th Bombay N. I., on duty, from Deesa.

FEBRUARY 16.

Crawford, Lieut., 3rd Bombay Light Infantry, on leave, from Poona.

DEPARTURES.—FEBRUARY 10.

Jacob, Lieut. Col.-Staff, on duty, to Karrachee.
Swete, Major, 10th Bengal N. I., to rejoin, to Nowgong.
Mackenzie, Captain, Transport Dept., on leave, to Kurrachee.
Aitken, Lieut., 19th Bombay N. I., to rejoin, to Poona.
Crawford, Lieut., 3rd Bombay L. I., on leave, to Poona.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLE CORPS.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS

By Lieut.-Col. the Hon. L. R. Bayley, Comdt., B. V. R. C.

Bombay, February 17.

The parades during the week will be as follows :—At the Oval on Wednesday and Friday, at 6-45 a.m.; at the J. J. Hospital on Wednesday and Friday at 5 p.m.; at the P. & O. Dockyard on Friday at 5 p.m.; and at the Town Hall on Wednesday at 4-45 p.m.

B. V. RIFLE ASSOCIATION EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Bombay Volunteer Rifle Association held on Friday, the 6th Feb., it was resolved—

1st.—That the competition for the National Rifle Association silver medal as shot for in the late Association meeting remains good, and that it will not be fired for again.

2nd.—That the B. V. Rifle Association will pay the entrance fees of five members of the Corps who may be desirous of trying for places in the Indo-Wimbledon Rifle Competition.

3rd.—The competition for these nominations will take place at Coorla and Poona or Kirkee on Thursday, the 12th inst. Distances 200, 500, and 600 yards. 7 shots at each distance and one sighting shot at each distance. Wimbledon targets and rules. Other members of the Corps may, if they choose, compete for places on payment of their own entrance fees, viz, Rs. 10.

4th.—The sizes of targets are as follows :—3rd Class—Bull's eye, 8 inches; inner 24 inches; magpie 36 inches; outer remainder of target 4 feet square. 2nd Class—Bull's eye, 2 feet; magpie 3 feet; inner, 6 feet; outer remainder of target 6ft. square.

5th.—The final three competitions, from which the names of those selected to represent the Indo-Wimbledon team at Wimbledon will be taken, have been arranged to take place on Monday, 23rd instant, Thursday, 26th, and Saturday, 28th. The scores and etrance fees from must be sent to the Adjutant before the 1st March, when the three trial competitions close. The fees and registers will be sent to Major Francis, 2nd P. V. R.

By order,
A. H. ATKINSON, Captain,
Adjutant, B. V. R.

BENGAL GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

(Calcutta Gazette.)

MR E C Paget, Asst Supdt of Police, Bhagulpore, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the 1st Grade of Asst Supdts of Police, from 24th Nov 1884.

Mr C S Murray, temporary Asst Supdt of Police, Rungpore, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the 2nd Grade of Asst Supdts of Police, from 4th Nov last.

Mr. E Muspratt, temporary Asst Supdt of Police, Shahabad, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the 2nd Grade of Asst Supdts of Police, from 4th Nov last.

10th Feb—Mr R F Guise, Asst Supdt of Police, in charge of the Dist Police, Pooree, is appointed to act as Dist Supdt of Police of that dist from 16th Dec 1884, during the absence, on leave, of Mr M F Beaumont, or until further orders.

Mr G H P Livesay, Asst Supdt of Police, Sungoo, Chittagong Hill Tracts, is appointed to act, until further orders in the 1st Grade of Asst Supdts of Police, from 16th Dec 1884.

Mr H M Parish, temporary Asst Supdt of Police, Midnapore, is appointed to act, until further orders, as an Asst Supdt of Police, from 16th Dec 1884.

Mr A V Kuyvett, Personal Asst to the Inspr-General of Police, is allowed leave for 1 month and 12 days, from 1st March next.

Mr H E C Paget, Asst Supdt of Police, Bhagulpore, is transferred to the 24-Pergunnahs' dist.

Surg-Maj V A Gilligan, Medical Officer in charge of the Northern Bengal State Railway, is appointed to act as Civil Surg of Chittagang during the absence, on deputation, of Surg R D Murray, or until further orders.

Surg A Tomes, Civil Surg, Midnapore, is allowed furlough for 20 months.

Surg-Maj D D Cunningham is appointed to be Secy to the Committee for the management of the Zoological Gardens at Alipore, from 31st ult, vice Mr C E Buckland, resigned.

ORDER BY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF IN MADRAS.

Adjutant-General's Office, Ootacamund, Feb. 12.

Col W H Caine, late Asst Adjt-General, R A, is, at his own request, permitted to proceed to England and to reside there pending re-employment.

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards of the following exchange and postings of R A officers :—

An exchange of Batteries has been sanctioned between Major F Bigg, "U" Baty 1st Brigde, and Major F E Blewett, "K" Baty 1st Brigade.

Lieut D F H Logan No. 5 Baty 1st Brigade Welsh Divn, has been posted to the depot, Welsh Divn.

Lieut F De B Young recently commissioned, has been posted to No. 5 Baty 1st Brde Welsh Divn.

The C-in-C is pleased to make the following appointment :—

26th Regt Madras Infy.—Lieut F T Williams, 2nd Batn Royal Irish Fusiliers, to be officiating wing officer on probation, and under instructions from Govt, a Probationer for the Madras S C.

The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the tests in Hindustani specified opposite their names :—

Lieut H N Taylor, Bedfordshire Regt, Probationer, Staff Corps, Higer Standard.

O'Connell, Gunner PHD, 1st R A, Lower Standard.

The undermentioned officer is granted permission to proceed to England on the recommendation of a Medical Board :—

Royal Artillery.—Lieut Col C R Buckle.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

Staff Corps—Lieut R A Richerdon, wing officer and Adjt, 1st Regt Madras Infy (Pioneers), for four months, from 11th Feb, 1885, or date of departure, Australia, private affairs. The first ninety days on full pay and allowances, under article 908, Army Regulations, India, Volume I.

Col E Hill, from the 15th Feb to the 15th June, 1885, Bombay, Poona and Matheran private affairs.

Lieut E M Norie, from 31st March, 1885, date of departure, for 182 days, on private affairs, Nilgris.

2nd Batn South Wales Borderers—Capt W. Wallace for twenty-five days, from 11th Feb, 1885, or date of departure, private affairs, Sholapur.

The undermentioned officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidary leave :—

12th Lancers—Paymr (Hony Major) A S G Jauncy, for six months, on medical certificate.

HIGH COURT.—FEBRUARY 17.

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice BAYLEY.)

AT 11-30 A. M.

In the matter of the Land Acquisition Act X of 1870 and in the matter of Government and Krishnarao Balmookund and another—Part heard—Tyabji and D. and Payne, G., and S. for claimants—F. A. Little for Government.

Suit for hearing and final disposal.

258-83—Thakurdas and D.—Jairam Narronji vs. Kooverbai and other—Little, S. F. and N., Jefferson, B. and D., and M. M. Mundil.—Part heard.

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice PINHEY.)

Suits for hearing and final disposal.

Short Causes.

124-84—Jefferson B. and D.—Joseph Jefferson and others vs. William Scott.

464-84—Ardesir and H. Sajjanbhoy Curimbhoy vs. Runchodlal Heerachund and others.—Jefferson B. and D Long Cause.

367-83—Hore, C., and B.—Mahomed Imam and others vs. Shurdadin bin ... ail bin Cumroodin parr—Payne, G. and S.—Par... Khuhh Khan Uranbhoy ... New Long C... heard.

326-84—Craigie, L., and O.—... ausen.

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice SCOTT.)

Suit for hearing and final disposal.

Long Cause.

444-81—Macfarlane and E.—Jugmohundas Mungaldas vs. Sir Munguldas Nathoobhoy and others—Little, S., F. and N., and Nanu and H.—Parr heard.

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TELEGRAMS.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

THE WAR IN THE SOUDAN.

THE OFFER OF TROOPS FROM AUSTRALIA.

LONDON, FEB. 16.

The Government have accepted the offer of troops from New South Wales for service in the Soudan.

THE RAILWAY TO BERBER.

The Government have finally decided to construct a railway to Berber.

THE NEW GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF THE SOUDAN.

CAIRO, FEB. 15.

In compliance with the request of Lord Wolseley, Prince Hassan, the third (?) son of the Khedive, has been appointed Governor-General of the Soudan, and will proceed forthwith to Korti. His Highness will take command of the Egyptian troops.

FURTHER PARTICULARS OF THE DEATH OF GENERAL GORDON.

A telegram received to-day from Lord Wolseley states that an eye-witness from Khartoum reports that the Mahdi's troops entered the city at daybreak on the morning of January 26, and that General Gordon was killed by a volley fired by the rebels while on his way to the Austrian Consulate.

THE FRANCO-CHINESE WAR.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

COLOMBO, FEB. 15.

China news of the 3rd inst. is unimportant. Five ships of the Chinese fleet have left Shanghai on a south course. It is reported that their destination is the river Min. Admiral Courbet has left Kelung with the French fleet in search of them. A naval engagement is probable.

Meantime the advance upon Tamsui is postponed. In the absence of the fleet, preparations on land continue. The skirmishing of the Chinese is without result.

There is no news from Tongking. The blockade of Formosa was raised in December, and again enforced with extreme severity and cruelty. All Chinese trading junks and village sampans are fired upon, burnt, and sunk, the crews being carried off to work in chains in the coal-mines of Kelung. Any who are unwilling to work are shot.

The Chinese are being largely reinforced in Formosa. Active preparations are in progress to resist the French. The Chinese are prepared to make a desperate resistance by means of guerilla warfare.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAM.]

OCCUPATION OF LANGSON BY THE FRENCH TROOPS.

HAIPHONG, FEB. 15.

The French troops have occupied Langson.

SAPPERS AND MINERS FOR THE SOUDAN.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

BANGALORE, FEB. 16.

The F. Company of the Madras Sappers and Miners, under the command of Captain Cockburn, have been ordered to hold themselves in readiness for active service in the Soudan.

MADRAS NEWS.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

MADRAS, FEB. 16.

While the Rev. J. Smithwhite was being buried on Saturday evening his wife also died. The deaths are attributed to cholera.

The Duke and Duchess of Mecklenburg-Schwerin returned to Madras from Colombo by the Ravenna yesterday, and were received with due honours. They will be present at a fancy dress ball this evening.

BHAMO IN THE HANDS OF THE CHINESE.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

RANGOON, FEB. 16.

Father Cadon, Roman Catholic priest living opposite the bank to Bhamo, reports that the Chinese in possession of the town are using up missionaries libraries in the manufacture of gun wads.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

THE MAILS.

LONDON, FEB. 14.

The Bombay mails of the 30th ulto. arrived at Brindisi to-day.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

ADEN, FEB. 14.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Jagore, outward bound for Bombay, Kurrachee, and Malabar Coast, left here this afternoon.

FEB. 16.

The Austro-Hungarian Lloyds S. N. Co.'s s.s. Medusa, from Trieste, left here for Bombay this morning.

LIVERPOOL, FEB. 14.

The Anchor Line steamer California left here for Bombay this evening.

CALCUTTA, FEB. 16.

H. H. the Sultan of Zanzibar's s.s. Swordsman, from Zanzibar, arrived here to-day.

MADRAS, FEB. 16.

J. G. S. Tenasserim, from Rangoon, in sight.

COLOMBO, FEB. 15.

Mail-steamer Tasmania, from China, and Brindisi, from Calcutta, arrived.

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL NEWS.

LONDON, FEB. 14.

The Liverpool Cotton-market closed steady.

Surats quiet.	
Good Fair Dholleras	4d.
per cent. Rupee Paper	76½
4½ "	77⅜
3 " Consols for Account	99⅛
3½ " Sterling Loan	103
3 " French Rentes	100f
Bar Silver	49

Arrivas.—City of Manchester and Sparkle.

THERMOMETER READINGS.

SUNDAY, NIGHT, February 15.

10 p.m. ... 71·4

MONDAY, February 16.

6 a.m. ... 64·7
10 a.m. ... 71·5
2 p.m. ... 78·5
6 p.m. ... 76·6

COMING EVENTS.

TO-DAY

Bombay Races.
Lecture, Framjee Cowasjee Institute, 6 p.m.

Feb. 18.—Town Council.
" 19.—Bombay Races.
" 21.—Bombay Races.
Ladies' Tiffin, Byculla Club.
General Meeting of Members of the Ladies' Gymkhana, 6-45 p.m.
Wilson Philological Lecture, University Hall, 5-15 p.m.
" 25.—Byculla Club Ball.
" 27.—Gymkhana Sports.
" 28.—Gymkhana Sports.
Half-yearly general meeting Byculla Club, 6 p.m.
March 2.—Yacht Club Dance.
Nariad Agricultural Show.
" 3.—Annual Sky Races, Gymkhana.
" 4.—Dinner to Sir James Fergusson, Western India Club, Poona.
" 5.—Naval and Military Sports, Bombay.
" 6.—B. V. R. C. Cinderella Dance.
" 7.—Annual Sky Races, Gymkhana.
" 26.—Farewell dinner to H. E. Sir James Fergusson at Byculla Club.
" 27.—Departure of H. E. the Governor for England.
April 3.—Departure of T. R. H. the Duke and Duchess of Connaught for England.
" 6.—B. V. R. C. Cinderella Dance.

ARRIVAL OF THE OVERLAND MAILS OF THE 30TH JANUARY.

THE P. and O. Co.'s s.s. Verona, Captain L. H. Moule arrived in Bombay harbour at 4 o'clock this morning with the mails of the 20th ult.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR presided yesterday evening at the annual prize distribution connected with the Byculla Schools. In his address Sir James Fergusson referred to the large attendance as manifesting the continued interest which was felt in one of the oldest and most valuable institutions of Bombay. He congratulated the schools on the reports of such impartial witnesses as the Government inspectors, and on their being superintended and cared for by some of the most honourable and leading members of the European community. Government felt full confidence in the management, and in the present year the testimony of their officers still further assured that confidence. Differences of opinion would occur in managing bodies, but these differences were best confined to themselves, and when the results of the schools were so satisfactory he was sure the subscribers and supporters would never fall away. In wishing the schools farewell, His Excellency repeated his advice that all differences as to the past should be sunk. A vote of thanks was passed to the Governor on the motion of the Hon. J. B. Peile, seconded by Mr. Justice Scott.

FURTHER evidence was called yesterday at the High Court, on behalf of the defendant in the suit against Sir Munguldas Nathoobhoy. The witnesses, who were leading members of their respective castes, said that the custom among the Gujerati Bania castes did not give the son a right to enforce partition in his father's lifetime. They said in answer to the Hon. Mr. Latham, who represents the plaintiff, that they had spoken of such being the custom of their castes, because no one had hitherto disputed it. Mr Luciano Lobo, an advocate practising in Damaun, said that there was a large Hindoo population in that Portuguese town, and his evidence went to show that the law there regarding the partition of ancestral property was quite in accordance with the custom deposed to by the defendant's witnesses.

MESSRS. ROSE AND Co., have published "Nina," a waltz, and "Waiting for the morning," by Mr. S. C. Gordon. His Excellency the Governor of Bombay has accepted the dedication of the latter composition.

A SALUTE of twelve guns was fired yesterday afternoon, on the occasion of the departure of Sultan Nawaz Jung for Secundrabad.

LORDS H. AND A. GROSVENOR and Mr. Kennard are crossing the Nepaul frontier at the invitation of the Khatmandoo court to shoot tigers. The sport is sure to be good, as the Nepaulese understand preserving game, and no poachers are allowed in that sportsman's Elysium.

THE Rev. J. Smithwhite, whose death we announced yesterday, was about 45 years of age. He was educated at Queen's College, Oxford, and entered the Madras Ecclesiastical Establishment as a Junior Chaplain on the 2nd March, 1875. He was the Chaplain of Cannanore for three years, and in 1879 he was appointed to South Black Town, where he remained till May, 1881, when he obtained privilege leave. On his return he assumed charge of North Black Town, where he remained for a few months, after which he obtained two years' furlough to Europe. He returned to India in March last, and was appointed Acting Joint Chaplain of St. George's Cathedral. In August last he was promoted to Senior Chaplain and placed in charge of South Black Town. On the death of the Rev. Dr. C. E. Kennett, recently, Mr. Smithwhite was appointed Acting Principal of the S. P. G. Theological Seminary. Mrs. Smithwhite, our correspondent telegraphs, has also died.

THE *Englishman* complains that some of the most prominent and most influential of the native press in Bengal are studiously disseminating false news with regard to the fighting in the Soudan. To give one instance, the *Indian Mirror*, which is supposed to be one of the best informed native papers in Calcutta, contains the following statement, which suggests that the *Mirror* has its own private sources of information :—"A savage horde has routed a British force consisting at least of 7,000 men, in spite of its military discipline and skill and bravery, and even though under the command of so many British generals as Lord Wolseley, Generals Buller, Earle, Gordon, and Wilson." The *Englishman* points out that the paper in which this appears publishes Reuter's telegrams giving accounts of the actual events that have taken place in the Soudan, and suggests that "it can only be for the purpose of wilful mis-statement that the writer could have published such a gross falsehood as the above."

A CORRESPONDENT, writing to a Calcutta paper, makes a suggestion in connection with the Francis Fund which it is to be hoped in the interests of charity will be carried out. He writes :—"As the purpose for which the above fund was formed appears to have been abandoned, may I inquire what is intended to be done with the money subscribed towards it? The Anglo-Indian and European Defence Fund can scarcely be in need of further aid, the sum at its disposal being considerable, and the calls upon it, at least so far, apparently not being very heavy. This being the case, to what better objects could the money be put than in helping towards some of the charitable institutions which exist in Calcutta?"

THE perpetrators of an audacious act of robbery and murder at Bahadurghur, in the Rohtak District, have just been brought to justice, more than a year after commission of the crime. A gang of dacoits, on the 3rd January, 1884, broke into the house of a bunnia during the night, and one of their number strangled the proprietor to prevent his raising an alarm. Six of the dacoits, who had been hunted down by the police, were tried by the Sessions Judge of the Delhi Division on the 31st of last month, and four of them were sentenced as follows :—Mura, the strangler, to death; Jump Kuan, the famous budmash who has been concerned in numerous dacoities, to penal servitude for life; and Taja and Amalia, two of their accomplices, each to five years' rigorous imprisonment. The two others were acquitted.

IN Persia thieves are punished with atrocious severity. This is illustrated by the punishment awarded in a case about which a correspondent writes to us from Farhan in Ispahan. The culprit had stolen a copper basin and a plate valued at 7½ crans (about Rs. 3), the property of a sepoy in the employ of the Prince Zol-e-Sultan. He was tried, convicted, and sentenced to have his left hand cut off. The next day he admitted his guilt, and, as he had been rather dilatory in making confession, his right hand was ordered to be cut off. He was also sentenced to be imprisoned for four months. It is to be hoped that he will receive surgical treatment during his incarceration.

A CHINA paper publishes a proclamation issued by the Corean Government, entirely exonerating the Japanese from all blame or complicity in the Seoul tragedy, and attributing the whole trouble to certain native conspirators, who are all condemned to death. The King of Corea has been reinstated in his capital, and it is believed that the Chinese general whose attempt to carry him off to Shan Hai Kuan was cut short by prohibition from his Government will most probably be punished. If in the present state of the affair China makes any difficulty with the Japanese, she will certainly do so at her own risk.

AN amusing item of gossip comes from Foochow. Tso Tsung-t'ang, a high State dignitary, gave it out—or perhaps some kind friend did him the service—that he was going to Formosa. Now, this gentleman was not very popular among his countrymen, but they thought it would appear that they were wanting in loyalty and respect—and that would bring down upon them the displeasure of the official in question—if they did not at least present him with the orthodox farewell address. Accordingly a number of scholars and unemployed officials presented a memorial to him, imploring him not to leave them, and pointing out that his life was far too valuable to be lightly endangered. Tso replied in a consolatory strain, assuring them that his departure was by no means imminent. The deputation retired disconsolate.

THE list of claimants to the Samoan Archipelago is not yet exhausted. America, Germany, and England have each preferred a claim, and now Spain has entered an appearance in the international law-suit. The Spanish official journal *El Dia* says :—"Nearly exactly at the Antipodes a question has arisen which, though at present of not much importance, will sooner or later come to the front, and which is not lacking in interest to Spain. The Samoan Archipelago was first discovered by the Spanish sailor Mourello in 1781. Its great commercial importance from the moment when the Panama Canal will be opened has not remained unperceived by Spain, and at the last congress of the Mercantile and Colonial Geographical Society Senor Beltrany Rozpido proposed the occupation of the Vavac group, which forms part of the Archipelago."

A REMARKABLE spectacle, illustrating the attenuated condition of some of the best known regiments in the army, on Jan. 19 was witnessed at Aldershot on the occasion of the parade of the 1st Battalion Leicester Regiment—a corps which is supposed to possess an establishment of 732 officers and men. Owing to the repeated demands which have been made upon this battalion to supply drafts for the linked battalion in India and other causes, it is now reduced to skeleton-like proportions, and instead of the solid column which should have appeared on parade the total muster did not exceed 150—this including bands. Three companies managed to scrape together about six files, each, and nearly all were clad in a hybrid uniform of khaki tunic, dark trousers, some with helmets, others with glengaries. This, it appears, is not the worst type of military display now to be seen at the tactical station, as only a few days since a company of the Royal Highlanders was represented by a solitary lance-corporal.

FRANCE appears to be no better off than her English neighbours in the matter of trade and manufacturing vitality. A summary return of imports and exports for the past year, as compared with that of 1883, shows a very large falling-off in three of the four general descriptions of national products, and establishes the universality of the industrial depression of 1884. The reduction on the imported articles was general. Under imports the abatement is striking, amounting to no less than 281,000,000f. A large part of this diminution, however, is due to the reduced requirements of foreign food products, which are not necessarily connected with trade depression. But the imports both of raw materials and of manufactures have also largely fallen off, the latter by 60,700,000f., and this diminution (observes the Paris correspondent of the *Times*) and the considerable reduction in the demand for raw materials are decidedly signs of importance. As regards the falling-off in the demand for raw materials, the same correspondent says, it marks a state of trade which must cause really patriotic French statesmen serious alarm. Under exports the chief source of diminution is the item manufactures. The French exported during the past year 91,400,000f. less manufactures than in 1883. The difference as between 1884 and 1882 was 43,000,000f., so that the depression in this respect has more than doubled.

PARTICULARS respecting theatrical management in London, its profits, and its losses, are given in the *St. James's*. The writer, who describes himself as an "Old Lessee," says that the average rental for the "front" of the house—that is, the refreshment and cloak rooms and programme-selling—in a West-End theatre is about £35 a week. The profit on programmes and on the cloak rooms can be imagined from the fact that when the contractor only sells refreshments he pays only £10 a week. An ordinary West End theatre, if playing to full houses, will bring in from £1,020 to £1,200 a week —or from £160 to £200 a night. The salaries paid to a good comedy company would amount to about £120 a week, while an opera bouffe would cost double that sum probably, on account of the chorus, orchestra, and accessories. The mounting of an opera bouffe cannot be decently done under £700, while in some recent cases it has cost more than twice as much. The scenery and dresses, however, can usually be sold to provincial managers for a third of their cost, and are very often utilised again by the property masters in London theatres. The "Old Lessee" relates that these functionaries are exceedingly jealous of their art. On one occasion when a live elephant was put on the Drury-lane stage the property-master threw up his appointment in disgust. "If I could not make a better elephant than that," he said, "I should be jolly well ashamed of myself."

A STORY is attributed to Croker about the late Sir Robert Peel having been compelled to leave a fashionable dinner party by the disgustingly blasphemous conversation of a young man in the company. The young man, it is said, afterwards became Lord Beaconsfield, and the circulation of the anecdote has caused much irritation in Tory circles. The late Tory leader finds a champion in no less a person than the Canon of Ripon, Mr. Malcolm MacColl, the gentleman who, by the discovery of the Bulgarian atrocities, supplied Mr. Gladstone with the weapon with which he drove Lord Beaconsfield from power in 1880. Mr. MacColl says that the story is true, with the important exception that Sir Robert Peel acted under a misconception. The conversation on the occasion in question turned on the French school of scepticism—at least at the end of the table at which Mr. Disraeli sat. He quoted, as a sample of the excesses of the French sceptics, an abominable attack on Our Lord's character made by Voltaire. Sir Robert Peel heard the quotation, and, not knowing the sense in which it was employed, thought Mr. Disraeli was venturing his own ideas, and instantly left the room. History does not record whether the mistake was ever rectified, or that Mr. Disraeli ever knew the reason why his then chief retired so abruptly. Whatever may have been Lord Beaconsfield's faults, want of tact was never one of them; and on that account the story, as originally related, bore on the face of it the impress of extreme improbability. But to seize the occasion, as Mr. MacColl does, to expatiate on the religious feeling of Lord Beaconsfield is turning the affair into ridicule.

THE *Pall Mall* publishes the results of a competition for a prize offered in its columns for the best selection of the ten greatest living Englishmen—i.e., the greatest statesman, journalist, painter, soldier, scientific man, writer, novelist, preacher, actor, and humbug. Some 1,450 lists were received, and each one being treated as a ballot paper the ten notables who gained the highest number of votes have been taken as the ten greatest men. Mr. Gladstone was omitted from the competition in the matter of statesmanship, and Lord Salisbury has polled the highest number, 388; journalist, Mr. Sala, 888; painter, Mr. Millais, 814; soldier, Lord Wolseley, 1,060; scientific man, Professor Huxley, 866; writer, Mr. Ruskin, 568; novelist, Wilkie Collins, 346; preacher, Canon Liddon, 659; actor, Mr. Irving, 1,337; humbug, the Claimant, 453. The second highest poll in each case respectively was—Mr. Chamberlain, 307; Mr. J. Morley, 118; Sir F. Leighton, 448; General Gordon, 214; Professor Tyndall, 440; Tennyson, 262; W. Black, 329; Mr. Spurgeon, 528; Wilson Barrett, 53; and Oscar Wilde, 230. The fine intelligence and capacity of some of the voters may be imagined from the receipt of such names as W. H. Smith among the journalists, Mr. Lowther and Sir W. Harcourt among the statesmen, Vandyck among the living English painters, Tupper among the greatest living writers, Thackeray among the novelists, and Terriss and Grossmith among the greatest living actors! Manifestly same individuals voted for themselves. Nobody but the Duke of Cambridge himself, for instance, would think of putting him forward as "the greatest soldier." Six votes are recorded for Sir William Harcourt as the greatest statesman. One vote is given for Lord Spencer in the same capacity. It must be gratifying to the self-respect of Mr. Oscar Wilde to know that the Claimant carries off the palm as the greatest living humbug by a majority of two to one; General Booth comes next with 205, and Lord Randolph Churchill follows with 147, after whom Mr. Irving Bishop, with only 45 supporters.

BOMBAY RACES, 1885.

OUR annual meeting commences this afternoon, and will, as usual, be run for on the new race-course on the flats at Mahaluxmi. As special trains will be run on the B. B. and C. I. Railway from Church Gate to the new and commodious Mahaluxmi station, which is in close proximity to the race-course, these will prove a cheap and easy means of approach for the business men of the Fort; while the stations of Marine-lines, Charni-road, and Grant-road will as easily serve the residents of the native town, who could go down to the last-named by tramway. Though at one time there appeared to be a gloomy prospect for the sporting public, matters appear to have assumed a brighter look out, and should the cards presented for the two other days not fall off, the meeting promises to be a fairly average one. But it is not very creditable to a city of the importance and wealth of Bombay that sufficient funds cannot be got so as to enable large enough prizes to be offered to induce outside stables to put in an appearance. The only stables that have come down, and simply through the love of sport, are those of C. N. C. from Poona, and our old sporting friend, M. A. A., whom it is a pleasure to see here once again all the way from Hyderabad in the Deccan. There is not a single representative from Bangalore or Calcutta. Certainly they have cause to be absent, as the public money given, should they be successful in getting some of it, would not pay for the horse's train hire down. One of the reasons why the stewards have not been able to give the usual prizes is the unfortunate failure of the Oriental Bank, in which what little funds the Western India Turf Club possessed were deposited. But the other and most serious one is that the public have not come forward in their usual liberal manner in the matter of subscriptions. As the stewards cannot be expected to make bricks without straw, it is hoped they will be more liberally supported when the subscription lists are sent out. And now to the card. Unfortunately two of the six events have resulted in "walks-over," there being no aspirants daring enough to try conclusions with the horse "Young Revenge" and the pony "General" on weight for age terms. The other four races promise to furnish fields, there being one of three, one of four, one of five, and the other of seven competitors. The latter should be the most interesting, though on a short run, as all the animals are unknown to fame, having only been landed this season. Though their respective trials may look good enough on paper, when put up alongside of each other the one that has not done so well as the others, very often squanders his field. The Derby would appear to be a moral for Garibaldi, who, though he has been very unlucky in his public appearances, is a very fast horse, and there does not appear to be a likelihood of the others being able to overhaul him when once he is set agoing, with perhaps the exception of Sakeel. As it is not impossible that the gay deceiver will be able to repeat his Poona exploit, where, when the odds were ten to one against him, he simply ran away from the others, the Cowasjee Jehangir Purse would appear to be a match between the other two, with the toss up in favour of Shamshad. For the Western India Turf Club Cup, excluding "Little Wonder," who but for his solitary win when he first came out has never shown himself formidable, there should be a good race, as all the others have shown themselves worthy antagonists, and the weights have been fairly adjusted. But as prophets often go astray it is as well not to prognosticate, but leave the battle to be fought out on its merits.

1ST RACE.—4 o'clock—"The Arabian Cup."

Mr. Abdool Rahmon's b a h Young Revenge, 9st. 10lbs., w. o.

2ND RACE.—4-15 p.m.—"The Pony Race."

H. H. Aga Khan's c o g General, 8st. 2lbs., w. o.

3RD RACE.—4-45 p.m.—"Cawasjee Jehanghir Purse." 1½ miles. For maiden Arab Galloways.

C. N. C.'s b a g Dervish, 9st., Ramchurn.
Mr. Morice's b a g Deception, 8st. 8lbs., Vinall.
H. H. Aga Khan's g a g Shamshad, 8st. 4lbs., Hackney.

4TH RACE.—5 o'clock,—"The Derby." For maiden Arabs. 1½ miles.

H. H. Aga Khan's b a h Sakeel, 8st. 10lb., Hackney.
C. N. C.'s b a h Rasheed, 8st. 10lb., Ramchurn.
Mr. N. Dinshaw's b a h London, 8st. 10lb., Mahomed.
Mr. Abdool Rahmon's b a h Apollo, 8st. 6lb., Owner.
Aga Jan's b a h Garibaldi, 9st., Vinall.

5TH RACE.—5-30 p.m.—"The Western India Turf Club Cup."—A handicap for Arab Plate- und the course.

C. N. C.'s g a h Cruiser, 8st., Ramchurn.
Mr. A. A.'s c a h Sunshine, 8st. 9lb., Brewty.
Aga Moochal Shah's g a Shahbaz, 8st. 2lb., Cassim.
Mr. Abdool Rahmon's c a h Little Wonder, 7st., Ismat.

6TH RACE.—6 p.m.—"The Flying Stakes." 2 mile. Weight for age and inches. For all Arab landed after the 1st September, 1884.

Mr. Hassan Buder's c a h Quoite, 8st. 5lb., Cassim.
Mr. Saleh Jungee's g a h Monsoon, 10st., Mahomed.
Mr. Ali bin Ameer's b a c Shaitan, 9st. 3lb., Mahomed.
Mr. Mirza Ahmed's g a g Sultan, 8st. 2lb., Ahmed.
Mr. Clarkname's b a h Imperial, 9st., Ismail.
Mr. Mahomed bin Zaid's b a h Silver-heel, 8st. 10lb., C. B. Mahomed.
Mr. Abdul Waheb Kashram's c a h Fairy Ladies Maid, 8st. 4lb., Owner.

BOMBAY REGATTA.

SECOND DAY.

THERE were two races to be contested yesterday—a sailing match and a rowing match. The course for the sailing match was from a station off the Yacht Club House to a mark boat moored south of Gull Island, thence round a mark boat moored south of the new oscillating light, and back to the flagship, leaving both mark-boats on the starboard hand—altogether a distance of twelve miles. The course for the rowing match was from a station off the Wellington-basin round a flag-boat moored off the Castle flagstaff, keeping it on the starboard hand, and back past the winning post inshore of the flagship—a distance of about 1½ mile. The attendance to witness these events was very small, consisting chiefly of gentlemen directly interested in them.

1ST RACE.—For all yachts, any rig, which may have competed in the 1st or 2nd sailing races in February, 1884. Handicap allowance at the finish. Entrance one gold-mohur. Prize, cup, value 15 gold-mohurs.

Station No.	Yacht's name.	Rig.	Entered by.
1	La Mascotte	Latsen	J. Westall, Esq.
2	Ianthe	Do.	L. Rivett-Carnac, Esq.
3	Water Queen.	Do.	F. A. Little, Esq.
4	Albatross	Schooner	J. Macfarlane, Esq.
5	Cinderella	Latcen	E. J. Mitchell, Esq.
6	Fawn	Do.	Capt. Morland.
7	Roostum	Do.	Rienzi Walton, Esq.
8	Pauline	Do.	F.D. Parker, Esq.

This race was started at 2-30 p.m., the yachts going away in close companionship, the Ianth a little in advance. A good race ensued, the boats coming home in the following order :—

	H.	M.	S.
1 La Mascotte	5	38	32½
2 Pauline	5	29	25
3 Rustom	5	41	11½
4 Ianthe	5	20	1½
5 Fairie	5	53	5½
6 Water Queen	5		27½
7 Cinderella	5	14	52½
8 Albatross.			

2ND RACE.—For 5 or 6 oared gigs. Entrance Rs. 5. 1st prize Rs. 50; 2nd prize Rs. 25. Third boat to start or no race.

1 H M S Osprey.	5-oared	Red and Yellow Diagonal.
2 J Hill	6 "	
3 H M S Osprey.	5 "	Red and Yellow Diagonal.
4 La Mascotte ...	5 "	Red and White.
5 S S Zambesi ...	5 "	Red.

This race was started at 4-35 p.m. Almost from the start the Zambesi fell back, the Osprey's whaler gig going to the front, and maintaining her position to the end, when the result was as follows :—

1 H M S Osprey, whaler gig.
2 J Hill, gig.
3 La Mascotte.
4 H M S Osprey.
5 S.S. Zambesi.

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ATHLETIC SPORTS.

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3. Steeplechase, half-a-mile. Civilian's Challenge Cup.
4. Quarter-mile flat race. Merchant's Challenge Cup.
5. One mile flat-race. Lawyer's Challenge Cup.
6. 150 yards flat-race (handicap).
7. Steeplechase, half-a-mile (handicap).
8. Putting the shot.
9. Throwing the hammer.
10. Throwing the cricket ball.
11. 100 yards Veteran's race, (handicap).
12. High jump.
13. Wide jump.
14. Bicycle-race. About two miles open.

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DIVINE SERVICES.

SAINT THOMAS'S CATHEDRAL.
ASH WEDNESDAY, 18th Feb., 1885.

7 a.m.—Matins.
7-30 a.m.—Holy communion.
11 a.m.—Litany and Communication Service and Catechising of children.
6 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, MALABAR HILL.
ASH WEDNESDAY, 18th Feb., 1885.

7-30 a.m.—Matins and Holy Communion, Hymns 91, 249
6 p.m.—Litany, Commination Service, and Sermons, Hymns 92, 91, 181.

During the other weeks in Lent (commencing with Thursday, the 26th instant) there will be special service every Thursday evening at 6 o'clock, when a course of sermons will be preached by the Rev. A. G. Lewis, *B. D.*

THE WESTERN INDIA FLOUR MILLS.

A MEETING of the company was held at Grant-road yesterday evening, when the following directors' report was read :—

The directors have much pleasure in presenting to the shareholders their second report of the administration of the affairs of the company, together with balance sheet and profit and loss statement for the past 12 months, from 1st January to 31st December 1884. The accounts have been duly audited by Mr. Henry Stead, of Messrs. Lidbetter and Stead, and his certificate of their correctness is appended thereto. The gross earnings of the company, it will be seen, amounted to Rs. 64,755-9-11, while the cost of management, salaries, insurance, and other charges, including Mr. Freeborn's commission, amounted to Rs. 38,147-12-8, leaving a balance of Rs. 26,607-10-3 as net profits for the year, out of which an *ad interim* dividend, amounting to Rs. 3,000, was paid in July last. The balance of profits, amounting to Rs. 22,707-10-3, the directors recommend to be disposed of as follows :—In payment of a dividend of Rs. 4 per share on 800 shares, equal to 13⅓ per cent. on Rs. 75 paid up, Rs. 3,600; on vendor's 200 fully paid; up shares, at Rs. 7½ pershare Rs. 1,500, to preliminary expenses account Rs. 1,400; to depreciation fund account, Rs5,800, balance to be carried to new year Rs.10,407 10; total Rs. 22,70710 3. The directors beg to state, for the information of the shareholders, that the company's property, plant, stock, &c., is insured to the extent of Rs. 75,000. Two of the directors (Messrs. A. McKenzie and I. Alcock) retire from office in terms of Rule 91 of the Articles of Association, but are eligible for re-election. Mr. Stead's term of office expired on 31st December last, and it will therefore be necessary to elect an auditor for the year and fix his remuneration.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted :—That the directors' report and statement of profit and loss account, with audited balance sheet made up to 31st December, 1884, be adopted. That a dividend of Rs. 4½ per share on 800 shares of Rs. 75 paid up (equal to 18⅔ per cent. per annum), and a proportimate dividend of Rs. 7½ per share on the vendors 200 fully paid up shares, be made payable on and after the 5th March next. That Messrs. A. McKenzie and J. Alcock be re-elected directors of the company for the current year and that Mr. Henry Stead be re-elected auditor of the company. After a vote of thanks to the chairman and to the management the meeting terminated.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Are you broken in your rest by a sick child suffering with the pain of cutting teeth? Go at once to a chemist and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW

Sale, G. Moore, H. James, Thackeray, Miss Muloch, C. Kingsley, Mrs. Comyns Carr.

8. PREACHER.

Canon Liddon	699	Dr. Parker	10
Spurgeon	528	Cardinal Manning	7
Canon Farrar	100	Cardinal Newman	6
Dr. Magee (Bishop of Peterborough)	46	Dr. Vaughan	6
Stopford Brooke	20	H. R. Haweis	4
Dr. Lloyd Carpenter (Bishop of Ripon)	16	Archbishop of Canterbury	4
Knox Little	11	Bishop of Manchester	3
		Principal Caird	2

One Each.

Revs. H. Martineau, Teignmouth Shore, McGregor, Newman Hall, Bishop of Truro, Gregory, R. W. Dale, Denison, Capel, McLaren, R. Roberts, Lightfoot, A. Gurney, E. Warre, Fleming, and Father Ignatius.

9. ACTOR.

Henry Irving	1,337	Terriss	3
Wilson Barrett	53	W. H. Kendal	3
J. L. Toole	16	Mrs. W. H. Kendal	2
S. Hare	6	B. Tree	2
Mr. Gladstone	4	Cecil Vesin	2
G. Grossmith	4		
Barry Sullivan	4		

One Each.

Beaucault, Salvini, Archdeacon Farrar, Henley, Coghlan, Oscar Wilde, and C. Warner.

10. HUMBUG.

The Claimant	453	Eno's Fruit Salt	5
Oscar Wilde	200	Lord Derby	5
General Booth	205	Barnum	5
Lord R. Churchill	147	Sir John Bennett	5
Irving Bishop	45	Mr. Biggar	4
Mr. Gladstone	44	Mdme. Blavatsky	4
C. Bradlaugh	37	Lord Northbrook	4
Mr. Warton, M. P.	28	Mr. Whistler	4
Mr. Labouchere	22	Henry George	4
Ashmead-Bartlett	19	John Bright	4
C. S. Parnell	12	Sir E. Watkin	3
Mr. Parker	10	Zadkiel	3
Lord Coleridge	10	H.R. Haweis	3
Mr. Eglinton	9	Lord Salisbury	3
Mr. Chamberlain	8	Stuart Cumberland	3
Tracy Turnerelli	7	Forbes Winslow	3
Baron Grant	7	Pears' Soap	3
Ruskin	7	Martin Tupper	3
Augustus Harris	7	Archdeacon Dunbar	2
Sir W. Harcourt	6	The Mahdi	2
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Author of the Competition	6	Tyndall	2
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(2) To declare a Dividend.
(3) To elect a Director and Auditor.
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For goods rates and rules, see classifications at stations and at booking office, "Carnac-bunder," Bombay.

For further particulars apply to the Traffic Superintendent, Ghadechi, Booking Clerk, Carnac-bunder office, Bombay, and booking office at Bhavnagar Bunder.

By Order,
CHAS. CARROLL,
Traffic Superintendent.

Traffic Supdt.'s Office, Ghadechi, 12th January, 1885.

NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Executive Commissariat Officers, Allahabad, Calcutta, Quetta, and Commissariat Storekeeper-General at Bombay, at NOON of the 27th April, 1885, for the SUPPLY to the Commissariat Department, Quetta District, of 9,650 HOGSHEADS of INDIAN MANUFACTURED MALT LIQUOR, in wood, for five years from 1st April, 1886.

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